

# Sedalia Evening Democrat.

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## BUCOLIC IDYL.

KANSAS AND MISSOURI REPRESENTED IN A LOVE AFFAIR.

A Romantic Story Related by a Fort Scott Man—A Sedalia Brakeman in It.

A middle-aged man, whose rural halit indicated that he was a farmer, arrived in Sedalia on the M., K. & T. passenger train from the south last evening and proceeded at once to police headquarters, where he complained that his daughter had left home without his knowledge or consent.

He gave his name as J. B. Hall and said he lived on a farm 4½ miles west of Fort Scott, Kansas.

After securing particulars in the case, Officer John Mooney remembered that about one week ago, he had been approached by a female who applied for work. Being pleased with the appearance of the applicant, and knowing that his brother-in-law wanted a servant, the policeman sent her to 413 East Fourth street, the residence of his relative. Showing a peculiar aptitude for household duties, no questions were asked the girl and Mrs. Suter was congratulating herself on securing such a desirable acquisition to her cuisine, when an interruption occurred last night by the appearance of the truant daughter's father, who claimed his own and departed.

Mr. Hall was seen at the union depot this morning and to a DEMOCRAT reporter related the following sensational story:

"My daughter is the victim of a conspiracy. I have every reason to believe that she was induced to leave home by D. M. Vasconcellos, a brakeman on the Sedalia and Parsons division of the M., K. & T. After the girl's departure I learned that she and Vasconcellos had been carrying on a clandestine correspondence for some time.

"I don't think her virtue has been tampered with, though there is no telling what might have happened had I not ascertained her whereabouts."

Mr. Hall stated that his daughter was eighteen years of age and that her name was Eliza, though many called her Nannie. He then produced a letter from Vasconcellos which read as follows:

PARSONS, KAS., July 8th, 1892.—DEAR FRIEND: It is with pleasure that I take the pen in hand to find out whether that letter went in that pond of water or not. I think you will have to get your father to move it to-day. Well dear, I was not looking for you by the track but I see you were there all right enough. I looked for you Monday night at Ft. Scott but it was all in vain. \* \* \* Well I must say when I did not meet you at the depot, I felt sorry, because I thought you and I was going to have a great time talking on the way from Fort Scott to Sedalia. I only wish I could get a chance to speak to you a few minutes. Well, I guess your father didn't get married, else you would not be in Fort Scott. Will be through Sunday. \* \* \* If I could only see you I could post you when I would come through. Well, dear, I must close."

After the interview with Mr. Hall the reporter visited Mr. Vasconcellos. He denied, bitterly, having anything to do with the girl's departure from home, and produced the following letter as a means to substantiate what he said:

"WALKERTON, Kansas, June 21, 1892.—DEAR FRIEND:—I thought I would drop you a few lines to let you know that I got your letter and photograph, and may say I am well pleased with your photograph.

"You wanted to know old I am. I am 18 years old. I told you in my other letter that I was going to Sedalia. I have been studying about going there. My reason for this is that my mother has been dead several years and my father is thinking of getting married the 4th of July. If he does, I won't stay at home longer than the time necessary to get ready to leave. I am run over enough by him, let alone her. My father tries to make me believe that I won't be of age until I am 21, but if he gets married I'll fool him a trip. Good bye.

NANNIE HALL.

It was reported that Vasconcellos is a married man, but this he denies, having been divorced several years. The daughter left home last Thurs-

day evening and got here Friday morning. Father and daughter left for home at 9:51 this morning.

PIONEER OF PETTIS.  
Reminiscences by Dr. E. Poe Harris While a Resident Here.

It will be remembered that a recent issue of the DEMOCRAT referred at length to Dr. E. Poe Harris, who lived in this county just prior to the war, but who now resides at Savannah, Indian territory.

In a communication to the DEMOCRAT the gentleman takes occasion to make the following observations, which this paper is only too willing to publish. He says:

"In connection with my sudden leaving home and what followed, there are still other facts making the circumstances somewhat strange and altho' to me they brought much sadness, it must be remembered it was only in the shadow of one of the many clouds that covered unnumbered homes in those dark days for our beloved southland. I was married on the 1st of May, 1861, and with life all sunshine I started south with my bride, whose attractions of person and character will be remembered by all who knew her, with the purpose of visiting again the scenes of her childhood in Mississippi. We were in St. Louis on the morning of that memorable 10th of May when the first blood of the war was spilled on the streets of that city. After visiting Vicksburg, Natchez, Yazoo City, we returned to Missouri, leaving St. Louis on the last regular train that came up over the Missouri Pacific road, passing the train that contained Governor Jackson and others at Pacific, and which followed our train as far as Jefferson City, burning the Gasconade and other bridges and making the issue of force direct as between the United States authorities and the state of Missouri.

We reached Sedalia, then a straggling village and the end of the railroad, on the evening of June 13th. Obtaining a carriage and driver we arrived at "Deer Park," in the north part of the county, the residence of John S. Jones and my young wife's girlhood home, at about 11 o'clock at night. At sunrise next morning I was aroused by "Uncle Charley" Jones with the news of Jackson's proclamation and the call for 50,000 men.

Kissing the bride of a little over a month "good-bye," with her head still on the pillows, and with the assurance that I would if possible be back to dinner, I mounted my horse and rode into Georgetown, then the county town and the point of rendezvous for the people of the county.

How little can we see into the future, and it is well we cannot. Could we have known that kiss was to be the last, that parting and good-bye for all time, and that our next meeting, instead of a few hours, would only be beyond that change of which we know nothing yet, and in that misty "over yonder" about which to reason is doubt to its very existence, what agony that kiss would have conveyed, what misery would have clouded that bright morning, which our ignorance left bright and joyous and memory left beautiful for months to come. From that morning in its sunrise, I have never seen that place again—have never set foot on the ground that was then hallowed with the brightest memories of life.

From Georgetown to Boonville that night, still looking at the preparations for war as for a holiday—or weeks or months excitement; from Boonville to Southwest Missouri, and there a seeming inexorable fate did the rest. At the close of the war when I really would have returned to my old home, the condition of affairs in Pettis county forbade my coming, and besides, I had nothing but sad memories to come back to. Even now with the shadows of over a quarter of a century to soften and change, I dread to revisit the scenes I bade good-bye to on that sunny morning. I may never see them."

Wore Their Guns.

Officer Gorrell is in receipt of a letter from his son Ben at Hannibal which states that Merritt Yeater has been on the sick list several days. Ben has been Merritt's surveying helper for a long time and was made one of the paymasters when the reservoir workmen were paid off at Hannibal last Saturday. The laborers were a mixed crowd and inclined to be tough and to "prevent accidents" the two paymasters each strapped a gun to his belt while they paid out \$2,000 in cold cash.

## ADJOURNED.

CLERKS AND RECORDERS COMPLETE THEIR WORK.

Convention to Meet at Pertle Springs Next Year—Much Good Done.

The state convention of circuit clerks and recorders, which met in this city yesterday, adjourned last night after holding three different sessions—morning, afternoon and evening.

Following the adjournment, quite a number departed for their homes at once, though the majority was compelled to remain over till morning. At the session yesterday afternoon the committee on permanent organization and order of business recommended in its report that the temporary officers be made permanent and the appointment of a committee composed of three on credentials.

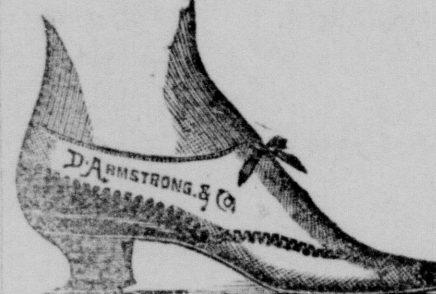
It was proposed further that the organization be established as permanent and known as "The Circuit Clerks' and County Recorders' Association of Missouri."

This report and the laws suggested governing the association, its objects aims, &c., was with but few objections adopted.

An adjournment was taken at 5 o'clock and three hours later the convention re-assembled.

At the evening session the following committees were appointed:

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Legislative committee—J. Hanley Pilkington, of Pettis county, chairman; Joel E. Gates, of Buchanan county; W. A. Hobbs, of St. Louis; R. B. Connell, of Henry county; Charles A. Creigh, of Monroe county; John C. Hayes, of Bates county; A. J. McCullom, of Ripley county; Frank W. Nye, of Jasper county; W. A. Ducoing, of Clinton county.

Improvement of the Public Service committee—T. B. Clark, of St. Louis, chairman; W. W. Donham, of Greene county; Linsey Decker, of Ray county; James D. Sutton, of Butler county; W. H. Lusk, of Cole county; William L. Fitzgerald, of St. Louis; John C. Bailey, of Jasper county; A. P. Hibbs, of Adair county; John M. Bryan, of Callaway county; T. S. Haynes, Cass county.

The following officers, as named by the committee on organization and constitution, were elected:

T. N. Haynes, of Cass county, president; James Hinton, of Newton county, first vice-president; T. S. Wilson, of Green county, second vice-president; J. D. Hind, of Jackson county, third vice-president; James E. Berry, of Calloway county, fourth vice-president; J. F. Norman, of Oregon county, fifth vice-president; E. R. Marvin, of Pettis county, secretary; John R. Green, of Cole county, first assistant secretary; W. H. Lusk, of Cole county, treasurer.

In the contest for the place of holding the convention next year, Pertle Springs won the palm. The other cities which struggled for the honor were Springfield; Jefferson

City, Clinton, St. Louis, Excelsior Springs and Sedalia.

## A MORNING WEDDING.

The Marriage of Mr. William A. Bowles to Miss Sallie F. Younger.

The Cumberland Presbyterian church was filled this morning with the friends of Mr. William A. Bowles and Miss Sallie F. Younger, being present to witness the wedding ceremony that made this happy young couple man and wife. The altar was nicely decorated with flowers, whose beauty and freshness were most appropriately suggestive of the future that lay before the bride and groom.

At 10:30 o'clock the mandolin club, composed of Messrs. Whisman, Henney, Harris and Looney, began the wedding march from Lohengrin. Messrs. Chas. Kooch and Will Hughes advanced down the right aisle, followed by the groom, while Messrs. Ernest Clark and Kenner Cobine did a like service for the bride. Upon arriving at the altar, Rev. A. H. Stephens, in a simple but impressive way pronounced the bans that joined together the lives of the young couple.

Little Misses Orlene Phipps and Helen Spencer made two tiny ring bearers.

The bride was radiant with beauty and attired in a most attractive costume. It was of pearl gray glorie silk with hat to match. She carried beautiful La France roses. Her traveling gown will be of nut brown broadcloth, threaded with scarlet. She is the daughter of Mrs. J. M. Barton, of Vinita, I. T.,

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### WICKED PARSONS.

The Monotony Disturbed by a Sunday Prize Fight Near the City.

The Parsons Sun has the following concerning a diversion that occurred there a few days ago:

"A regular slugging match took place Sunday afternoon on the banks of Labette creek northeast of the city. The match was for a purse of \$15 and was fought under Queensberry rules. The participants to the affair were John Egan, the well-known blacksmith, who has quite a local reputation as a slugger of no mean ability, and James O'Leary, a boiler-maker in the employ of the Water company, and engaged in putting up the new steel standpipe. Some fifty or a hundred persons were attracted to the scene of action and a regular ring drawn. The combatants stripped for the contest and donned skin gloves and the word given by Dr. Gillette, the referee, to begin. Both Egan and O'Leary handled themselves well in the first and second rounds, striking heavy blows, Egan reaching for O'Leary's face and neck, and O'Leary pelting away at Egan's left side in the region of the heart and stomach. Egan got first blood in the second round. The bystanders were evenly divided as to their choice of the winner up to the third round, but in this round O'Leary got in a powerful blow just under Egan's heart that fairly brought him to his knees and it was with some difficulty that he regained his feet in time to meet his opponent before time was called. In the fourth round it was apparent to every one that O'Leary had the best of the fight, and after a good exhibition of sparring in this round O'Leary landed another heavy blow in the region of Egan's heart, which completely knocked him out and ended the contest.

### Mr. Galbreath's Good Luck.

A dispatch from Washington, D. C., dated July 12th says:

"It is pretty well decided that Geo. W. Galbreath, of Sedalia, Mo., will be appointed national bank examiner for the state of Missouri. The appointment will in all likelihood be made Thursday. Mr. Galbreath has for several years been connected with the First National bank of Sedalia, and is therefore an experienced banker. The position pays about \$6,000 a year."

Should the above be true, the appointment will be a source of much pleasure not only to Mr. Galbreath, but to his host of friends. He is a competent and capable gentleman and will make a good officer.

### Police Court.

The notorious Florence Jackson was fined \$5 and costs for resisting an officer.

Bettie Lacy was arraigned on a like charge and acquitted.

Wm. Siebe and Mattie Clark failed to show up and nothing was done with their cases.

Baptist Young People's Meeting, Detroit, Mich., July 14th to 17th. The Missouri Pacific will sell round trip tickets at the rate of \$17.75 on July 12th and 13th good until July 19th for return.

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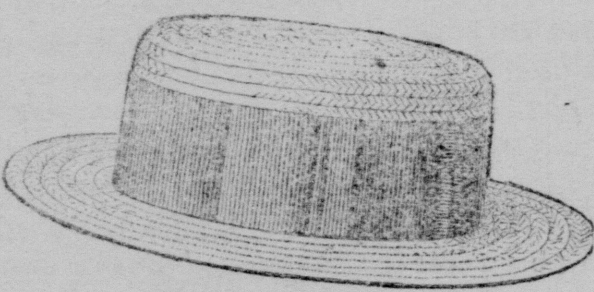
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"I would earnestly advise them for their good to order this paper to be punctually served up and to be looked upon as a part of the tea equipage."—ADDISON.

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**—Patrons of the EVENING DEMOCRAT will confer a favor upon the management by promptly reporting any irregularity in delivery or bad condition of paper from improper handling.

The president has ordered federal troops to the scene of the labor war in Idaho.

A POSTMASTERSHIP contest is a sore subject for a republican paper to joke about.

THERE should be a general revival in sidewalk building in several portions of the city.

THE people who favor a republican form of government want just laws rigidly enforced.

THE republicans have induced Prof. L. L. Kirk, of Georgetown, to take the trip up Salt river in place of Dr. Dresel.

THE balance of the nominees on the republican county ticket, if they are wise, will follow the example set by Dr. Dresel.

AFTER taking considerable time to look over the field, Dr. Dresel respectfully declines to make the race for representative on the republican ticket. The doctor has evidently sized up the situation correctly, and seeing that there is no hope of electing the ticket, declines to be made a victim.

THE *Gazette* is exercised about a supposed contest among certain democrats for the postmastership. If the republican bosses will just permit the rank and file of their party to have a word there will some republican fur fly again when the present term expires, even if Harrison is elected.

If the leaders of the Homestead strike are to be tried for murder the leaders of the Pinkerton mercenaries and their employers should pass through the same ordeal. A law-abiding public will be willing to do justice to both sides. There was killing done by both sides and each was acting without legal authority.

THE *Gazette* never loses an opportunity to twit Tom Mitchum and Hanley Pilkington with the crime of being popular enough to be elected to office, but it wastes no time trying to choke Ellis Smith off from the public teat. The people, however, will shut Ellis off without any voluntary assistance from our bungling contemporary.

A GANG of young hoodlums on a street car in New York amused themselves by hurling insulting remarks at the visiting delegates to

the Christian Endeavor convention. Finally a stalwart young Missouri Christian stepped up to the leader and nearly wrung the scamp's ear off and made him howl for mercy. The muscular Christian won the applause and admiration of all who saw the affair.

## INDUSTRIAL COMMUNISM.

The tendency of affairs in the United States is rapidly toward industrial communism.

This is shown by the growth of gigantic corporations, some of them now almost too powerful to be controlled by the legislative power which brought them into existence, and upon the other hand by strong associations of laboring men who seek by organization to prevent being reduced to serfdom by their employers.

Many of our closest thinkers—theorists generally, it is true—hold that the only remedy is for the government to assume control of the industries of the country and operate them in the interest of the whole people.

The DEMOCRAT is not prepared to admit this.

Rather it is true that the evils complained of have arisen from the government usurping a power never intended to be given it and conferring special privileges upon certain classes.

The government was not established to say what legitimate industries should be encouraged or what discouraged.

It is the business of the individual citizen to select his avocation in life, and he should be as free to choose one honest calling as another.

He is not left this freedom of choice if he is to be taxed in order to "encourage" or "protect" some other citizen engaged in some other branch of business.

It is not the business of the government to take the earnings of the man who chooses to follow the avocation of machinist or carpenter and give it to the man who chooses to make tin-plate or window glass.

Each should be left free to follow such pursuit as his intelligence suggests will be most remunerative or as his taste tells him will be most agreeable.

When the government was organized it was never intended that congress should have the authority to select the pursuits that the American people should follow. Such a despotic power was never intended to be conferred.

And yet, if the government may take one dollar from the farmer or the blacksmith and give it to the sugar planter, it may take his whole earnings or may declare that he shall work as the slave of the planter.

To admit the right of the government to tax one class of citizens for the benefit of another class is to admit the right to absolutely enslave certain classes.

To admit the right of the government to take a portion of the earnings of the farming class and confer it upon the manufacturer, is to admit the right of the government to take charge of the farms and factories and run them for the benefit of any or all classes.

Democrats do not admit this right; democrats are not communists in either theory or practice, either directly or indirectly.

Democrats believe that the people are happy and prosperous only in proportion as the wealth of the country is distributed among the people themselves, and that the natural laws of trade and commerce, unobstructed by class laws, are safer channels of distribution than any set of officials that could be selected.

And they believe that a people who are poor, but frugal, honest, manly and self-reliant are infinitely better off than those who live in better houses or drive finer horses, but depend upon a paternal government for their existence.

The strength of a country, the hope and real prosperity of a people, depend upon the intelligence and independence of the citizen.

Ambition, competition and sometimes fierce contact of mind and mind in the race for supremacy, is what has made the Anglo-Saxon what he is—the creator of governments, rather than its creature and dependent.

Communism on the one hand, or its twin brother, protection, on the

other, destroys competition, kills rivalry, annihilates ambition, stifles invention and stops the forces which have worked out our civilization.

## A LAME DEFENSE.

Goaded by public comment into saying something about the statements made by Mr. Edwin Osborne, a former republican who refuses to vote for William Warner, the *Gazette* says:

"Neither Osburn Bros. nor anyone related to them have ever made any charges against Major William Warner. The windy article in a Sedalia print last Saturday, reflecting on the republican candidate for governor emanated from a stranger to the people of Sedalia, whose name is given as Osburn, and whose statement was received by the public for precisely what it was worth—nothing."

In the interview there was no attempt made to hide Mr. Osborne's identity. His full name, place of business, former residence and the names of prominent republicans who endorsed him were all given.

If his story was untrue in any particular the *Gazette* could easily show such untruth; but as no such effort is made, and, on the other hand, evasion is attempted, the public will accept the interview as true in any respect.

As to Mr. Osborne being a comparatively new man in Sedalia, it will not do for Editor Streit to assume that for that reason his statement will be discredited. He must not fall into the error of supposing that the statements of all strangers are disbelieved merely because his own opinions have such little weight in the community.

DISPATCHES say that a thousand of the Pennsylvania state militia were permitted a free run of the saloons upon their arrival in Homestead and that many of them were under the influence of liquor in a few hours and the local police had hard work preserving order. A drunken soldiery is even more dangerous to the peace of a community than angry workmen.

## Military Tactics in Public Schools

To the Editor of the Democrat:  
With your kind permission, I wish to agitate and submit to our citizens a subject, which I firmly believe, will be encouraged by all, as it gives to our young people the object so much needed, which is physical culture and discipline—and to do this, let us introduce military organization and tactics in our public schools—that is for boys from 13 to 16 years of age.

There is no doubt that our boys of this age will cheerfully join such organization. Of course it is entirely voluntary.

As I have said before, the object to accomplish is physical culture, development of the body, correct walking and bearing, and discipline.

The best evidence of what military tactics do for young men is our Sedalia Military company; where the members formally walked along slouchy, nearly all of them have now a fine, erect bearing and an elastic step.

To initiate the above movement, I would recommend that the members of the Sedalia Military company give assistance in formation of two or three companies. Give them a drill in the evening, adopt in the beginning a cap, later on a fatigue suit of cheap material of one color.

After a while let the boys elect their own officers, but by all means let it be understood that the military school companies must be under strict discipline, and like the schools, positively no politics.

Let us make a beginning in this matter in Sedalia and I have no doubt the system will be introduced in other cities.

## The Sedalia Gun Club.

The Sedalia Gun club reorganized last night for the summer and fall shooting. The following well known Sedalia sportsmen were elected as officers:

Wm. Courtney, president; J. C. Van Riper, vice-president; Chas. L. Taylor, secretary and treasurer. Directors: J. M. Scott, L. L. Ilgenfritz and Frank B. Meyer. Mr. E. D. Packard, of Chicago, was admitted to membership.

## May Brush the Spanish Bandits.

Frank James, of Dallas, brother of the famous Jesse, has gone to New York, where he will spend a few days seeing the sights preparatory to his departure for Spain. Mr. James will spend the summer in that picturesque country and run a chance of being held up by the noted bandits of that country. Upon his return he will bring a large number of Spanish jacks for sale, coming via London, New York and St. Louis.

## THE RIGHT SPIRIT.

No War to Make Upon Honorable Democrats.

From the Nevada Mail.  
The campaign closed Saturday, so far as the gubernatorial canvass is concerned.

During the several months in which this contest was made it was the purpose of the *Mail* to present the claims of Col. Stone as vigorously and as clearly as possible.

This duty was discharged honestly and conscientiously without malice to either of the distinguished gentlemen who are contending against Col. Stone for the gubernatorial nomination.

Not a single charge was made or given place in these columns, detrimental to either Maj. Dalton, Judge Gibson, Dr. Yeaman or Governor Claycomb.

If others, friendly to Col. Stone's candidacy gave utterance to aught against either of these gentlemen, the *Mail* regrets the occurrence; and as we have all along been in close touch with Col. Stone we know that that gentleman would regret it also. It was not his wish to make a campaign of personalities, or to have others do so for him. His aim was to make a campaign on the higher grounds, and he did so. He knows no other weapons. The *Mail* would use no other if it had them at its disposal.

"I would not sacrifice my integrity to be governor of Missouri," stood out clearly before the most earnest friends of Col. Stone from beginning to close of the canvass. He had laid it down and riveted it together with bolts of gold, and the *Mail* felt that it could well afford to stand on it. It did so, and is proud of it.

The *Mail* is for Col. Stone because he is able, faithful and worthy of the trust. It is for him because it believes him to be admirably fitted to the position he seeks. It is for him because it believes him best suited to make the hot canvass which will be ushered upon us after the nominations are made. But it believes his opponents to be honorable gentlemen, and has treated them with the true courtesy due them as such.

## A Popular Young Lady.

It appears from the St. Louis *Republic* that some of the Sedalia readers of that journal are taking a lively interest in its World's Fair contest, which it has recently inaugurated and by which forty-two of the most popular teachers of the St. Louis and suburban schools are to be sent by the vote of subscribers to the great Columbian exposition at Chicago next year.

The competition is divided into groups, and groupe M, comprising the teachers of the Kirkwood school, seems to have attracted the attention of the Sedalia voters. Miss Katie King is in the lead in that groupe, and is receiving very strong support from her Sedalia friends. She is a niece of Mrs. Charles Richardson and visited in Sedalia last summer and will spend next month here with the family of Judge Richardson. She is known as an admirable and lovely girl, and if any of her friends and acquaintances desire to help her in this contest all ballots clipped from the Sunday *Republic* and left at the DEMOCRAT office will be properly forwarded.

## To Summer Tourists.

The season is at hand when the man of affairs, the man who, through the long winter months, has devoted his best energies to the tasks and problems of the counting room, the office, the pulpit, or legislative halls; when the matron and the maid, wearied of the long season of social gaiety or confinement in the school or lecture room, betake themselves to the sea shore, the mountains, the country or the springs, in search of pleasure and rest. The Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway has placed on sale summer tourist tickets at very low rates, with long transit limits, good to return until October 1st or 15th. Every variety of amusements and the most picturesque of surroundings are thus placed within the reach of all.

For further particulars concerning rates, routes, sleeping car accommodations and all other information, call on or address.

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## A Sundry Sum.

The Sedalia Planing Mill yesterday secured the desirable contract for the interior woodwork of the Henry county court house now being constructed at Clinton by Steve Hayde and Tom Fleming, the well-known Kansas City contractors. The Sedalia firm bid against St. Louis, Kansas City and Hannibal and will get about \$10,000 for their work.

## An Invitation to All.

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## SNUBBED.

Gen. Snowden Cuts Short a Con-  
ference at Homestead.

FINE WORDS WITH A DULL THUD.

The Militia Will See Order Preserved—A  
Feeling of Bitterness Results—Strikers  
to Be Arrested Wholesale—Con-  
gressional Investigation.

HOMESTEAD, Pa., July 12.—As soon as  
Gen. Snowden had established his  
headquarters in the schoolhouse on the  
hill over the iron works he was waited  
on by a committee consisting of O'Don-  
nell, Coon, Crawford, Schulman and  
Clifford, representing the Amalgamated  
association, the advisory committee  
and the citizens. Coon was the spokes-  
man, and coming to Gen. Snowden, he  
stated that he represented the associa-  
tion and the citizens; that on their  
part he welcomed the troops to the  
town and he offered the co-operation of  
the citizens in preserving order.

Gen. Snowden said: "I thank you for  
your welcome, but I do not need your  
co-operation. The only way good citi-  
zens can co-operate with us in preserv-  
ing good order is to go peaceably about  
their business."

Coon said: "The citizens wish to  
know at what time they may give you  
a public reception."

Snowden replied: "I can accept no re-  
ception, sir; it would be most improper.  
I thank you for your courtesy, but a  
formal welcome is not needed. It would  
be an amazing thing if the National  
Guard was not welcome in any part of  
Pennsylvania."

Mr. O'Donnell here took up the con-  
versation and began: "On the part of  
the Amalgamated association I wish to  
say that after suffering an attack from  
illegal authority we are glad to have  
the legal authority of the state here."

"I do not recognize your association,"  
replied Gen. Snowden. "I recognize no  
one but the citizens of this city. We  
have come here to restore law and or-  
der and they are already restored."

"But we wish to submit," O'Donnell  
began, when the general cut him short,  
saying: "Then, sir, submit to the gen-  
tlemen behind you."

O'Donnell wheeled around and saw  
Sheriff McCleary standing in the group.  
"I do submit to him," he said. "We  
have never questioned the sheriff's or-  
der."

The general smiled rather sarcastically  
and said: "I am glad to hear it.  
But you must understand our position.  
We are here to preserve the peace. We  
represent the executive arm of the state  
and I have nothing to say to you further  
than that the sheriff must be obeyed."

"But we have obeyed the sheriff,"  
O'Donnell said. "Haven't we, Mr. Mc-  
Cleary?"

"No, you have not," said the sheriff.  
"You refused to let my deputies enter  
the works."

There was some further talk of this  
sort in which Snowden took no part  
and the conference ended in an awk-  
ward silence, which was finally broken  
by O'Donnell, who said: "Well, I be-  
lieve we have nothing further to say."

The general bowed in silence and the  
committee departed for the headquar-  
ters, where a very stormy discussion  
followed on the ground taken by the  
authorities.

The Congressional Investigation.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 13.—The con-  
gressional committee appointed to in-  
vestigate the Homestead trouble ar-  
rived here shortly before noon yester-  
day and went to the Monongahela  
house where the members took break-  
fast and held a short preliminary meet-  
ing.

The committee consists of W. C.  
Oates, of Alabama, chairman; W. C.  
Brynm, of Indiana; C. R. Boatner, of  
Louisiana; Judge R. B. Taylor, of Ohio,  
and Case Broderick, of Kansas. The  
first three are democrats and the last  
two republicans. A clerk and stenog-  
rapher accompany them.

Before the committee arrived there  
were waiting to see the members P. C.  
Knox, of Knox & Reed, attorneys for  
the Carnegie company; United States  
Attorney Lyon, Marshal Harrah, Judge  
Bullington and W. W. Colville. Mr.  
Colville, on behalf of Postmaster Kean,  
tendered the committee the use of the  
United States court room, but Mr.  
Oates said they had decided to hold the  
meeting in the reception room of the  
Monongahela house, which has been  
fitted up with all the conveniences.

Before the committee went into session  
Chairman Oates had a long talk  
with Mr. Knox, during which the  
situation was fully discussed and the  
scope of the investigation touched on.

Mr. Knox said the company desired  
the fullest investigation and would aid  
the committee in every way. Mr. Frick  
would appear before the committee and  
give all the information possible.

Marshal Harrah tendered his services  
and those of his officers in serving sub-  
poenas, but Mr. Oates said he believed  
there would be no necessity for the ser-  
vices of the marshal, but if any wit-  
nesses refused to come he would call on  
him.

After the preliminary meeting Chair-  
man Oates said the meeting would be  
open.

Conspicuous among those present  
were H. C. Frick and Superintendent  
Patton, of the Carnegie company, and  
President Weihe, Vice President Rob-  
erts, Davis, Lynch and Oliver Swright,  
of the Amalgamated association. Mr.  
Frick was accompanied by his attorneys,  
Messrs. Knox and Reed.

The committee's inquiry began  
promptly at the hour stated and con-  
tinued until after 10 o'clock, with Mr.  
Frick on the stand the entire evening.  
His examination brought out many new  
features in the present trouble, notably  
the plan by which the Pinkerton men  
were employed and the arrangements  
that were made for their transportation  
to this city, the wages paid under the  
sliding scale and those proposed were  
all brought out.

Mr. Frick was put under a severe cross

examination by Representative Boatner  
just before the adjournment, which  
proved to be the most interesting part  
of the evening's proceedings.

Chairman Oates swore Mr. Frick and  
conducted the direct examination.  
Mr. Frick said theirs was not a cor-  
poration; it was formed under the lim-  
ited partnership laws of Pennsylvania.  
"What business is the association en-  
gaged in?"

"They are owners of the Edgar Thom-  
son, Bessemer, Homestead and Duquesne  
steel works, the Lucy furnace, Key-  
stone bridge works, the upper and lower  
mills, Beaver Falls mills, Scoria ore  
mines and Larimer and Youghiogheny  
coke works. We employ in these sev-  
eral establishments about 13,000 men."

"How many men do you employ at  
Homestead?"

"About 5,800. The concern was en-  
gaged in the manufacture of armor  
plate for the government. The con-  
tract calls for about 6,000 tons of plate  
ranging in thickness from four to twenty  
inches."

"Will you now state the differences  
of the workmen employed in your  
Homestead works and how much paid  
for each class of work?"

"Yes, sir. Do you desire those only  
affected by the proposed new scale?"

Mr. Oates: "We prefer you to state  
all the classes employed and the wages  
paid each class."

Mr. Frick here produced the pay roll  
of the 119 inch mill for the month of  
May last, which contained the name of  
every man and boy employed, the num-  
ber of days worked and the wages re-  
ceived. The wages ran all the way  
from \$40 to \$275. The wages of the  
rollers were the highest. These aver-  
age from \$250 to \$275 for the month.  
The heaters from \$185 to \$190; heaters'  
helpers about \$135; trainmen about \$95;  
head shearers \$100; shearers' helpers  
\$85; gaugers \$75 and a number of other  
men averaging about \$75. The total  
amount paid in wages to this depart-  
ment for the month of May was \$20,  
202.93.

Mr. Frick—How many departments  
are there in your Homestead mill?

Mr. Frick—I think twelve.

Mr. Oates—Now, Mr. Frick, you have  
spoken of the earnings of several skilled  
workmen. Upon what basis are these  
men paid?

Mr. Frick—Upon the basis of a con-  
tract made July 1, 1889, which was to  
run for three years, expiring July 1,  
1892. It was the sliding scale system.  
The rates when agreed to were to con-  
tinue for three months, determined upon  
the average selling of steel billets and  
the average price of one ton to be the  
basis of the next three months.

Mr. Frick then recited the negotia-  
tions with the men on the new scale  
and the failure to agree.

By this scale, he said, only 335 out  
of the entire 3,800 men were affected.  
The men presented a scale which in al-  
most every instance called for an advance.

Mr. Frick stated that the proposed re-  
ductions were based on the decline in  
prices during three years. Tank steel  
plates were reduced 21 per cent., chan-  
nels 39 per cent. and steel billets 16  
per cent. The reduction in wages was  
about 15 per cent.

Mr. Frick attributed the continual  
decline to overproduction and the reduc-  
tion of the tariff. There had been a  
decrease, he thought, in the importa-  
tion of the articles upon which the men  
were affected by the proposed new  
scale. He could not approximate the  
difference between cost of labor per ton  
in Europe and here.

Mr. Frick then stated that another  
point in dispute was the change of date  
for the signing of the scale from July  
to January because it was against their  
interests to be idle during July and  
August when building is most active.  
The men were willing to reduce the  
minimum from \$25 to \$24 but desired  
that the scale extend to July 1, 1895.  
No agreement could be reached and the  
works shut down.

Mr. Frick—What is the cost of pro-  
duction?

Mr. Frick—I don't think that is a fair  
question. I don't think that you should  
ask that.

Mr. Taylor—Would you object to tell  
the cost of a ton of steel including  
everything?

Mr. Frick—Yes, sir. I would have the  
same objection.

Mr. Boatner—You don't propose to  
give away any of the secrets of the  
trade?

Mr. Frick—No, sir, not yet.

Mr. Oates—Will you state the labor  
cost alone?

Mr. Frick—That would be equiva-  
lent to stating the whole cost.

Mr. Oates—In consequence of all  
these disagreements what resulted?

In answer to this question Mr. Frick  
read his interview given to George M.  
McCain, the day following the Home-  
stead riot, which was admitted as evi-  
dence.

Mr. Oates—You state that after the  
sheriff failed you employed the Pinker-  
tons. Did you appeal to the governor?

Mr. Frick—No, sir. The experience  
of past years was that the sheriff was  
powerless. We concluded to employ our  
own watchmen, put them on our own  
property and have them stay there to  
protect it. We hired them and agreed  
to pay them \$5 per day and we secured  
300 of them on June 24. We concluded  
it would be necessary to protect our  
own property and employ new men.

Warrants for the Leaders.

PITTSBURGH, July 13.—Sheriff Mc-  
Cleary has sworn in a number of special  
deputies, who will serve bench warrants  
on the leaders of the strike. It is said  
that such a step will have a greater ef-  
fect at Homestead than even the troops.  
The fact that those arrested will be put  
in jail and cannot be released under  
bail will take many of the leaders away,  
and their counsel will be missed. On  
the other hand it is claimed that this  
step may cause the more hot headed to  
break out as soon as the cooler leaders  
are removed.

How the men will take the wholesale  
arrests is a question, but they will  
scarcely resist.

Three miners were blown to atoms by  
an accident at the Buckeye mine, near  
Helena, Mont.

## THE IDAHO WAR.

All Non-Union Miners Must Quit  
the State.

ULTIMATUM OF PRESIDENT O'BRIEN.

Otherwise the Men Will Be Blown Up  
With Giant Powder—Reported Kill-  
ing of Ten More Men—Federal  
Troops Ordered Out.

WALLACE, Idaho, July 13.—A careful  
estimate places the number of deaths in  
the mining riot at Coeur d'Alene at  
seven and the wounded at fourteen.  
Union and non-union men make up the  
death roll. The total loss by the ex-  
plosion of the Frisco mill will be \$125,  
000.

There was a rumor on the streets last  
night that the strikers had attacked an-  
other non-union force and that ten men  
were killed. Very little information  
could be obtained directly from the dis-  
tricts involved in the strike as the wires  
had been cut and only one wire was  
working between Spokane and Wallace.

Campbell, a mine owner, states that  
he has received information that the  
strikers have loaded the non-union  
mines near Wardner with giant powder  
and threaten to blow it up if non-union  
men go to work.

The majority of the non-union miners  
quit and either joined the strikers or  
have been huddled off on the roads to  
other parts of the country.

United States troops from Fort Sher-  
man have been ordered to hold them-  
selves in readiness. The federal authori-  
ties claim they have a right to inter-  
fere as the strikers have openly dis-  
regarded United States injunctions  
which were issued against the union  
men some time ago.

The sheriff made an effort to collect  
a posse and go to Wardner on a special  
train. He notified all citizens known  
to be in active sympathy with the mine  
owners to report at 10 o'clock, but when  
the sheriff started only one citizen re-  
ported. Armed bodies of miners went  
from Wallace all the evening.

About 9 o'clock a large crowd pro-  
ceeded to the Union Pacific yards below  
town, took a flat car, put it on the main  
track and started for Wardner. Being  
all down grade no trouble was experi-  
enced.

The mill of the Bunker Hill & Sulli-  
van Co. is located on the Union Pacific  
track two miles from Wardner. The  
miners took possession of this during  
the night and sent word up to the mine  
that unless the "scabs" would surren-  
der before 9 o'clock in the morning the  
mill would be blown up.

Large bodies of armed miners went  
up to Wardner proper and toward the  
mine to await developments.

The situation is serious at Wardner.  
The non-union miners in Bunker Hill  
and Sullivan have not yet come out.  
Private information states the union  
men have 300 pounds of giant powder  
with a fuse attached and will set it off  
soon if the non-unionists do not come  
out.

A message from Washington stated  
that the president had ordered that fed-  
eral troops be sent to the scene of the  
miners' troubles in Idaho, and Gen.  
Schofield has ordered Gen. Ruger and  
McRitt to send troops there.

The union men and the owners of  
Bunker Hill and Sullivan mines held a  
meeting last night. President O'Brien,  
of the union, gave his ultimatum to the  
mine owners as follows:

"All non-union men must leave the  
state at once or the mine will be blown  
up and an attack on non-union miners  
commenced."

The mine owners to gain time agreed  
to discharge all non-union men within  
forty-eight hours.

DISSATISFIED DEMOCRATS.

Call for a Convention of Kansas Demo-  
crats Opposed to Fusion.

TOPEKA, Kan., July 13.—There is a  
movement on foot among disgruntled  
democrats in the Fifth congressional  
district to call a state convention and  
place a democratic electoral and state  
ticket in the field.

The following circular dated Clyde,  
Cloud county, has been sent broadcast  
to democrats throughout the state:

The democratic club of the Fifth congress-  
ional district will meet at Herington, Kan., on  
the eve of July 14, 1892, for the purpose of electing  
officers for the ensuing two years and transac-  
ting such other business as may require at-  
tention at that time. As the Fifth district dem-  
ocratic congressional convention is called for the  
20th at the same place, all delegates and visitors  
to the same are cordially invited to meet with  
our club on the eve of the 14th.

W. H. PEPERLETT, Secretary.

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**President. Cashier.****DEMOCRATIC TICKET.**President—GROVER CLEVELAND.  
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Treasurer—JOSEPH S. HUGHES.  
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Coroner—EMIL MUEHL.  
Surveyor—T. O. STANLEY.  
Assessor—J. M. LOGAN.  
Administrator—J. R. CLOPTON.  
Constable—W. D. WALLACE.**WEATHER REPORT**For the 24 Hours Ending 3 O'Clock  
This Afternoon by C. G.  
Taylor.

Wind	Cloudiness in tenths.	Temperature Max. Min.	Precipitation in inches.
W 10	92	92 74	0.12

Barometer 29.90

Weather for Missouri for twenty-four  
hours beginning at 8 a. m., this morning:  
Fair in north; local rains in southern por-  
tion; cooler in north and slightly warmer  
in southwest.**TOOK THEIR LAST CENT.****Two Little Boys Robbed of a Dollar  
on the Train Last Night.**Ferdinand and August Gast, two  
bright little "shavers" from St.  
Louis, were in considerable trouble  
at the depot this morning. They  
arrived on the early morning train  
en route on a visit to relatives in  
Cole Camp on the narrow gauge.During their ride on the train  
last night, August laid off his coat  
containing all his money, a dollar,  
and when he started to purchase a  
ticket this morning found that he  
had lost it.Some sneak thief doubtless went  
through the coat pockets while the  
boys were asleep.The boys were quite small, but  
made the best of a bad bargain.  
They got aboard the narrow gauge  
and will have their kin folks make  
it all right with the conductor.**AN EAST SEDALIA WEDDING.****W. B. Meyers, of Smithton, Weds  
Miss Rosa B. Beasmore  
Last Evening.**A very happy wedding took place  
last evening at the home of the  
bride's parents, No. 1210 East  
Eleventh street. The bride was  
Miss Rosa B. Beasmore, daughter  
of Engineer R. G. Beasmore, and  
the groom was Mr. W. B. Meyers,  
of Smithton. The ceremony was  
performed by Rev. W. B. North in  
the presence of a number of invited  
friends.Miss Beasmore is a well known  
East Sedalia young lady and Mr.  
Meyers is to be congratulated upon  
securing for a wife such a model  
young lady. The groom is a well-  
to-do business man at Smithton and  
is popular and successful in his  
town.**Mid Summer Corset Sale.**At Bon Marche, 503 Ohio street.  
69c summer corset, 59c.  
69c regular corset, 49c.  
75c regular corset, 59c.  
\$1.00 regular (951) corset, 89c.  
\$1.25 regular corset, \$1.00.  
50c child's waist corset, 39c.  
50c child's waist corset, 25c.**Lost!**A red vest-pocket price book was  
lost to-day, somewhere between the  
market house, union depot and the  
freight house. It has stencilled the  
full length of back cover, "Armour  
Packing Co., Sedalia, Mo." Return  
to Hotel Benson.**The Tobacco Cure.**The Miner Tobacco remedy is  
the only cure. It does not have  
any bad effects and is an absolute  
cure. Take no other. Call at in-  
stitute, 515 South Ohio street.**A Pleasant Sunday Outing.**During the hot summer months,  
in order to enable those living on  
the line of the Missouri, Kansas &  
Texas railroad, Hannibal to Fort  
Scott inclusive, to spend their Sun-  
days comfortably and pleasantly,  
said railway will sell tickets on each  
Saturday to Clinton, Mo., at rate  
of one fare for the round trip, plus25 cents, which will be good to re-  
turn until the following Monday.  
The Artesian lake and the park  
hotel at this point, with the pleas-  
ant surroundings and adequate fac-  
ilities which the place affords  
for caring for large parties and as-  
semblages, will make this place  
popular as a summer resort, as well  
as for the holding of meetings and  
conventions. For further informa-  
tion call on or address,  
J. W. McClain,  
Local Agent.**THIRD STREET.****The Work is Not Progressing Rap-  
idly on Account of the Stone  
Supply.**The absence of workmen on Third  
street and the evident delay in the  
work has caused the anxious citi-  
zen to fear that notwithstanding the  
\$25 per day forfeit for failure to  
complete the contract within the  
agreed time, the street will still be  
uncompleted by fair time.A DEMOCRAT reporter saw City  
Engineer Zoll, who said that the  
present delay was caused by a ten-  
dency on the part of certain con-  
tractors to furnish different stone  
than that which he had agreed to ac-  
cept. The contract calls for the  
best quality of limestone. The  
stone already delivered has been  
brought from the quarries on the  
Bouldin farm. Much of it was good  
material, but mixed with it was a  
soapstone of no earthly account.  
In fact, it could not be  
called stone, and would undoubt-  
edly disintegrate in a short  
time, making it simply pre-  
posterous to think of putting it  
down. Mr. Zoll says that there is  
plenty of available material at the  
quarries, but that in some places a  
bad ledge is found and the contrac-  
tors seemed inclined to think this  
should be used. The engineer ex-  
pressed himself by saying that the  
city did not propose to be made the  
victim of any such proceeding.Whatever trouble may arise, the  
fact remains none the less pertinent  
that the paving of Third street  
should be pushed to its utmost.  
All wrangling on the part of the  
contractors, by which the work is  
thrown behind, should be promptly  
quelled.Pave the street, and pave her  
quick!**PERSONALS.**S. P. Johns went to Rockville to-  
day.Col. B. H. Ingram went to Boon-  
ville this morning.Dr. T. S. Shadburne is up from  
Windsor to-day.L. S. Richardson, of the *Gazette*,  
went to Moberly at 10:40 this  
morning.Alex. Snodgrass and wife were in  
the city yesterday on their way  
home from a visit to St. Louis.Jacob Zuz went to Green Ridge  
last night and instructed the newly  
elected officers of the Odd Fellows  
 lodge.B. M. McCrary, of Fayette,  
passed through this morning en  
route to the Nevada asylum with a  
patient.Mrs. M. McCabe, of East Second  
street, will leave to-morrow for  
Kansas City, where she will visit  
her son, Frank McCabe, and fam-  
ily.Omar Longmore is visiting at  
Englewood, Kansas, and will re-  
main about ten days. He will be  
accompanied by his sister on his  
return.Mrs. Will Guenther, accompan-  
ied by her cousin, Miss Bettie Carr,  
who has been visiting her, is at  
Gallatin, Ill., visiting the family of  
Dr. J. C. Carr.Col. J. L. Thornton, the hand-  
some blonde advertising agent of  
the fair association, is visiting Hol-  
den, Pleasant Hill and the live  
towns along the Missouri Pacific to-  
day.Mrs. J. W. Campbell, of Edina,  
and Miss Mattie Wilson, of Moberly,  
sister and niece, respectively, of  
Attorney C. I. Wilson, left for their  
homes this morning after a pleasant  
visit to the Queen City.**A Pleasant Evening.**The Calvary church branch of  
the Woman's Auxilliary gave a most  
enjoyable social at the residence of  
Rev. Alexander Allen, on West  
Broadway last evening.A spelling bee was a principal  
feature of the evening, and Mrs.  
A. P. Morvey succeeded in carrying  
off the honors. Messrs. J. C.  
Thompson and J. C. Van Riper  
performed the "banker's duet" and  
Miss Walker charmed every one by  
her elocutionary powers in the ren-  
dition of "The Bugle Song" and  
"The Steam Chair." Nice refresh-  
ments were served.**Murderer Caught.**Babe Porter, the negro who re-  
cently killed "Con" Hurley at  
Hannibal by striking him with an  
oar was captured Monday morning  
while aboard a freight train at Barry,  
Ill. He is being carefully guarded  
for fear of lynching.**SHOP AND RAIL.****ITEMS OF INTEREST TO LOCAL  
TRAINMEN.****News About Different Roads, Em-  
ployers and Em-  
ployes.**Dave Lester is filling Ed. Thomp-  
son's place to-day.Dave Baker, a Nevada switch-  
man, is visiting friends in the city.Passengers can now go from St.  
Louis to New York and return for  
\$19.A son was born to Conductor  
Jack Haley and wife Sunday. Jack  
is doing nicely.—*Parsons Sun.*Engine No. 230, which has been  
hung up for repairs in the Pacific  
shops, will be hustled out to work  
to-morrow.Ed. Thompson, switchman in  
the Pacific yards, is taking a fur-  
lough to-day, while Sam Black is  
sweltering at the brakes.The boys out at the Pacific shops  
are very anxious to know something  
about that rumored A. P. A., which  
is said to have been organized here.J. C. McNara, ex-receiver for the  
Rancas Pass road in Texas, passed  
through this morning, accompanied  
by his wife. They were off on a  
jaunt.Fireman John Leary, of the Mis-  
souri Pacific, is all smiles. A young  
gentleman came to his house yester-  
day for an extended visit, and in-  
sists upon calling John, father.William Patterson, superinten-  
dent of the St. Charles car shops,  
died at his home in St. Charles, Mo.,  
yesterday. Mr. Patterson assumed  
his position with the shops eighteen  
months ago. Before that time he  
was the master car builder of the  
Santa Fe.Supt. H. G. Clark's private car  
No. 111 arrived from St. Louis this  
morning and is now in the yards.  
It has been in the shops almost two  
months and is now one of the most  
complete and best arranged cars on  
the Missouri Pacific. It has been  
lengthened 12 feet and a number of  
changes made in the interior.  
Everything is in band box order  
and Supt. Clark now rides in style.**Persecuting Railroad Companies.**The grand jury in session at  
Atlanta, Ga., has had its attention  
called to the fact that the claims for  
damages against railroad corpora-  
tions filed in the courts of that city  
aggregate no less than \$3,000,000.  
The law permits collection of con-  
tingent fees and bailiffs are engaged  
by attorneys to run down every  
case of accident and solicit employ-  
ment for a damage suit. It is re-  
lated in one instance that a bailiff  
sat on a coroner's jury and labored  
hard for a verdict fastening the  
blame for accident upon a railroad  
company, then attended the funeral  
as a pall-bearer and took his em-  
ployer the next day written author-  
ity to file suit against the company  
for \$25,000, the document stipulat-  
ing that 4 per cent. of the amount  
recovered should go to the attorney.  
It is said that the Richmond and  
Danville has been mulcted in dam-  
ages during the past six months  
more than its net earnings for that  
period.**Almost Completed.**Roadmaster Jamison, of the Se-  
dalia division of the M., K. & T.  
railroad, who has been busy for  
some time past superintending the  
laying of the new steel on the road,  
reports that on the division over  
which he has supervision, which ex-  
tends 160 miles, all of the new steel  
has been laid except twenty-two  
miles, which will soon be com-  
pleted. New steel has been laid  
along other portions of the line and  
it is only a question of time when  
the entire M., K. & T. line will be  
laid with new heavy steel rails.—  
*Parsons Sun.***Patent Granted.**George W. Funk, of this city,  
was yesterday granted a patent at  
Washington, D. C., for a stock-  
watering device.**For Sale.**Fresh milk cow. Enquire of A.  
B. Dempsey, 112 West Second.**At Siche's.**Ben B. Baxter, Rockdale; Sam.  
Lewis, Taylor, Texas; Bryan Heard,  
Rockdale; Thos. B. Spicer, St.  
Louis; Mrs. Paul Waples, Mrs.  
J. D. Leeper, Will Tavers, E. D.  
Leeper, Denison; A. C. Orrick, St.  
Louis; Herman Werre and H. A.  
Klaus, St. Louis; J. P. Logan, Mrs.  
W. W. Field, Boonville; B. G.  
Stevens, St. Louis.Read the EVENING DEMOCRAT—  
live long and be happy.**Destroyed the Fruit.**From later developments it seems  
that the robbing of the orchard be-  
longing to Wm. H. Fox, the col-  
ored man, was a regularly organizedraid by which much of his fruit was  
not only stolen but wantonly de-  
stroyed.Four negro boys were fined in  
Justice Fisher's court yesterday for  
the offense, and to-day Lon Harris,  
E. Bird, A. Marshall and A. Chan-  
nell were brought in for the same  
offense. They will be racked to-  
morrow.**PRESTO CHANGE.****Frightful Freak of the Thermometer  
—A Change of 20 Degrees.**When the temperature of any  
climate changes twenty degrees in  
less than half an hour, the phe-  
nomenon is an item worthy of being  
recorded. Such a moderation, or  
more properly immoderation, took  
place here in Sedalia this afternoon  
shortly before 2 o'clock.From away up to the 92 degree  
mark the mercury fell till those who  
observed the thermometer thought  
that the zones frigid and temperate  
had been transposed.All the morning the weather had  
been dreadfully hot, causing poor  
mortals here below to swelter and  
wilt as they experienced the senti-  
ment of Hamlet's soliloquy:  
'Ab, that this too, too solid flesh would  
melt!'Lowering clouds, charged with  
immeasurable volumes of rain and  
wind, began to hurriedly darken the  
heavens about 1:30 o'clock, and so  
quickly did the change come that  
the almost transformation from day  
to night was hardly realized.By 2 o'clock terrific gusts of  
wind swept the city, playing havoc  
with the display goods of the vari-  
ous merchants, scattering waste  
papers hither and thither, breaking  
a number of window panes and  
causing considerable damage and  
creating much fear among the  
timid.It is the opinion of several local  
meteorologists that a cyclone oc-  
curred not far from here.On account of electrical disturb-  
ances, due largely, perhaps, to this  
change, it became necessary to shut  
down the power house for a while,  
and street car traffic was delayed.**Later.**The grand stand which was in  
process of erection at the kite-  
shaped track was blown down by  
the heavy gust of wind about 1:30.**BEHIND THE BARS.****Chas. Fehr, a Small Boy, Robs the  
East Sedalia Egg Factory.**Yesterday evening about 6  
o'clock, a 11-year-old boy in East  
Sedalia entered the egg factory on  
Third street, by taking out a win-  
dow pane in the rear of the building  
and proceeded to take all valuables  
in sight. He secured \$1.80 in  
stamps and \$1.50 in money.An investigation was begun and  
a 11-year-old boy named Charles  
Fehr accused of the crime. He  
finally confessed and was arrested  
by Constable Ramsey, who took  
him before Justice Levens. He was  
placed under a \$200 bond for his  
appearance at 9 o'clock next Satur-  
day, but being unable to give it he  
was sent to the county jail.Owing to the youth of the boy  
the case is a very unfortunate one.  
It should be a severe warning to the  
boys who keep company with those  
who are liable to lead them into  
such trouble.**Carnegie's False Pretences.**

From the Boston Herald (Ind.)

If Carnegie and his associates  
have been in partnership for years  
past with the government, as is as-  
sumed by the protective system,  
and have entered into this alliance  
largely for the purpose of benefit-  
ing those in their employ, then  
clearly the public who have contrib-  
uted to augment the large incomes  
which these employers have received  
have a moral right to demand that  
their workmen shall be paid wages  
in proportion to the protective  
bounty granted to the employers.**Ripans Tabules have come to stay.****The Size of the Bar'l.**

From the Globe-Democrat:

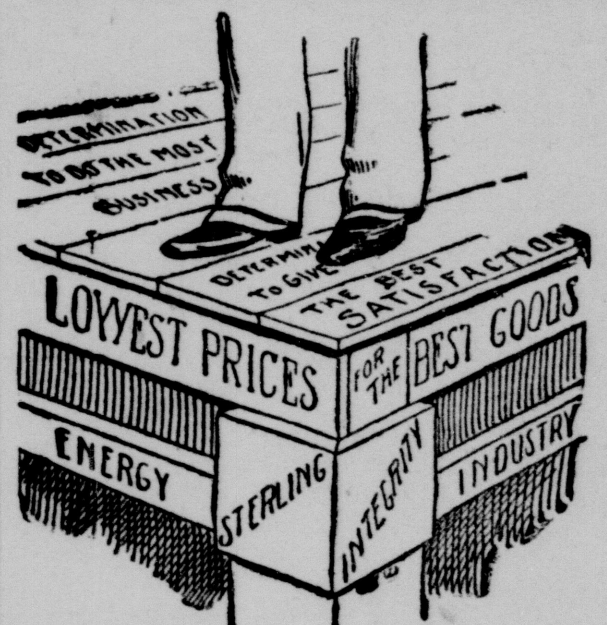
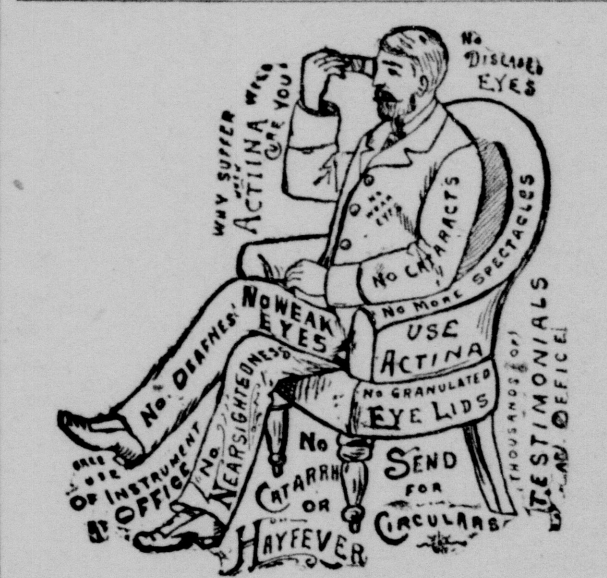
In the United States the barrel is  
a very uncertain quantity. A bar-  
rel of wine, beer or cider contains  
thirty-one and a half gallons; the  
Cincinnati lamp oil barrel has forty-  
three gallons; the Kentucky whis-  
key barrel from forty to forty-five  
gallons. In several states of the  
East a barrel, as a measure of arti-  
cles other than liquids, is a legal fixed  
quantity. In a half dozen of the  
Eastern states a barrel of grain is  
five bushels, of rice is 220 pounds,  
of flour 166 pounds and of lime 320  
pounds.THE EVENING DEMOCRAT is the  
best local paper in Sedalia as well  
as the cheapest.**Returned.**Mr. Sam Hyde, who has been  
with the "Katy" at Parsons for  
some time, arrived last night and  
to-day accepted a good position  
with S. T. Lupe, who is build-  
ing an elevator. Mr. Hyde's many  
friends welcome him back to the  
Queen City.

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volving fans almost bring back  
winter as you are served with lem-  
onades and their famous ice creams.The coolest place in the city is at  
Sicher's cafe. Electric fans and  
good breeze. Ices, ice cream, cold  
soda, no flies. The restaurant,  
under Mrs. Sicher, is excellent in  
menu and service.**A New Drink.**Try the refreshing cherry glaze  
at Sicher's cafe.**Assignee's Notice of the Allowance  
of Claims.**To all the creditors of Kelk Bros.—  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned  
assignee of Kelk Bros., a firm composed of  
Wm. J. and Charles T. Kelk, on Wed-  
nesday, the 27th day of July, 1892, at the  
law office of George W. Barnett, in the city  
of Sedalia, Pettis county, Missouri, will pro-  
ceed to publicly allow and adjust demands  
against the estate of said Kelk Bros., and  
I will attend at said place on said day and  
the two succeeding days for the hearing and  
adjusting such claims.  
GEORGE W. BARNETT,  
Assignee.**D. E. KENNEDY,  
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found at his office at No. 107  
East Sixth street. All parties  
suffering from any disease will  
do well to call on him as he  
treats all kinds of diseases in  
either sex.**A SHORT HISTORY****Of the Miner Symptomatic Gold Treatment and Some  
of the Secrets of its Unrivalled Success.**The Miner treatment is not an experiment, but the outgrowth of a  
complete and careful research, combined with years of experience.  
Centuries ago Paracelsus discovered a golden light and proclaimed to the  
world that the great eradicating agent for all hereditary taints would be  
found in gold, the king of metals. Ever since it has been demonstrated  
to the world that alcoholism is a curable disease, there has existed much  
of skepticism and prejudice, coming not only from the general public,  
but from the medical fraternity as well. It has taken time to overcome  
these obstacles. There was also need for improvement in the remedies  
used, and a more scientific system for their administration. In formu-  
lating our treatment, Symptomatic Gold Treatment these and many  
other most needed requisites for a safe and scientific course of treatment  
have been successfully met.After visiting numerous institutions established for the treatment and  
cure of diseases in question, and upon close investigation we are frank  
to admit that there is a marked similarity in all treatments. It is not our  
intention to speak disparagingly of any who may, either by word or deed,  
help on this grand work. Yet, as we have already indicated, to our  
minds, the only safe and reliable treatment is that which is known and  
admits of variation by the physician in charge. Then and only then is  
he prepared to meet complications and suit his treatment to the chang-  
ing conditions of the patient, as in pneumonia, typhoid fever, or any  
other disease.Therefore, in presenting to you our Symptomatic Gold Treatment,  
we beg you to consider it thoughtfully, and should it recommend itself to  
your best judgment we shall be pleased to have you investigate our work,  
either in your own interest or in behalf of your friends and suffering  
humanity.**MINER INSTITUTE,  
SEDALIA, MISSOURI.**

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